GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PERSONNEL,PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS
LOK SABHA

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QUOTA OF RESERVATION FOR PROMOTION OF SC/ST OFFICIALS
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Will the Minister of PERSONNEL,PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the quota of reservation for promotion of Scheduled Castes Officers/employees is 16% and for Scheduled Tribes Officers/ employees is 12%.

(b) whether in case SC/ST officer/employee is not available for promotion, the said vacant posts is carried forward to the next year;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) the total number of posts of SC/ST officers/employees which were `carried forward` to the next year during the last three years, Department-wise and Post-wise;

(e) whether candidates of other castes have been promoted against reserved posts; and

(f) if so, the number of such reserved posts against which candidates of other castes have been promoted, Department-wise and Post-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS.(SHRI SURESH PACHOURI)

(a) Reservation in promotion for Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes is available at the rate of 15% and 7.5% respectively.

(b), (c) & (e): If no candidate belonging to the Scheduled Caste or Scheduled Tribes, as the case may be, is available for promotion against a vacancy reserved for that category in a particular recruitment year, such vacancy unless de-reserved as per the prescribed procedure, is required to be carried forward as backlog vacancy to the next year for filling up by a candidate of that category. In case of de-reservation of a reserved vacancy, short fall so caused in reserved category quota, is required to be filled up at the earliest possible opportunity.

(d) & (f): Such Information is not centrally maintained.